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Applicant(s): Sybille FRANK et al.) Group Art Unit: 1731
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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING A DENTAL PROSTHESIS

ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §3.71, REVOCATION,
POWER OF ATTORNEY, AND CERTIFICATE UNDER §3.73(b)

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The Assignee 3M ESPE AG of the entire interest in the above-identified application hereby elects, under 37 C.F.R. §3.71, to prosecute the application to the exclusion of the inventors.

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Statement under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b)

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this document on behalf of the Assignee.

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